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**Office Action Summary**

Application No.

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LEE, JAE HUN

Examiner

Y Quach Lee

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address --

**Period for Reply**

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE 2 MONTH(S) FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
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**Status**

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 12/31/03.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**. 2b) ☐ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☒ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

**Disposition of Claims**

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-3 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are allowed.
- 6) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are rejected.
- 7) ☒ Claim(s) 1-3 is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

**Application Papers**

- 9) ☒ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.  
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).  
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

**Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119**

- 12) ☒ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☒ All b) ☐ Some \* c) ☐ None of:
1. ☒ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

\* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

**Attachment(s)**

- 1) ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
- 2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
- 3) ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08)  
Paper No(s)/Mail Date 5/19/04.
- 4) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413)  
Paper No(s)/Mail Date. \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
- 6) ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_.

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***DETAILED ACTION***

***Priority***

1. Receipt is acknowledged of papers submitted under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d), which papers have been placed of record in the file.

***Specification***

2. The disclosure is objected to because of the following informalities: Page 3, line 4, there is a typographical error such as the term "potion" and it should be changed to --portion--. Page 4, line 5, the reference numeral "38" is incorrect and should be changed to --28-- in view of the term "upper plate 28" on line 6 of the same page and the drawing figures. Page 4, line 12, the reference numeral "167" is incorrect and should be changed to --16-- in view of the term "the lamp housing 16" on lines 9 and 11 as well as the drawing figures. Appropriate correction is required.

***Claim Objections***

3. Claims 1 to 3 are objected to because of the following formalities: In claim 1, line 6, the term "that is" should be inserted after "the fender" to properly describe the claim invention. Also, line 10, there is no clear antecedent basis for "the lamp housing" and it should be changed to --a lamp housing of the headlamp--. In claim 2, line 1, the term "an" should be changed to --the-- in view of "an end portion" has already been established on line 1 of claim 1. Line 2, "a lateral side" should be changed to --the lateral side-- in view of "a lateral side" has already been recited on lines 1 to 2 of claim 1. Line 3, the term "a front end" should be changed to --the front end-- in view of "a front end" has already been introduced on line 2 of claim 1. In claim 3, line 2, there is no clear antecedent basis for "the insertion groove" and it should be changed to --an insertion groove--. Appropriate correction is required.

4. Claims 1 to 3 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the objection set forth in this Office action.

5. Claims 1 to 3 contain allowable subject matter because the prior art does not suggest a bracket including an upper plate having a guide hole integrally formed with a lower plate having an engaging hole, the lower plate closely contacted with a lower surface of a front side of the fender that is closely contacted with an upper surface of a rear end of the bumper cover and the

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lower plate, and the bumper cover and the fender fixed together using bolt passing through the engaging hole of the lower plate as well as a guide boss formed in a back surface of a rim of a lamp housing inserted through the guide hole of the upper plate.

6. This application is in condition for allowance except for the above formal matters.

Prosecution on the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

A shortened statutory period for reply to this action is set to expire **TWO MONTHS** from the mailing date of this letter.

***Conclusion***

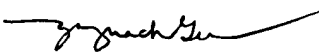
7. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

Ward et al., Oen and Vollrath are cited to show other pertinent brackets connecting the lamp housings to the vehicle bodies.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Y Quach Lee whose telephone number is 571-272-2373. The examiner can normally be reached on Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the Customer Service whose telephone number is 571-272-2815.

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May 26, 2005

  
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